

REMARKS

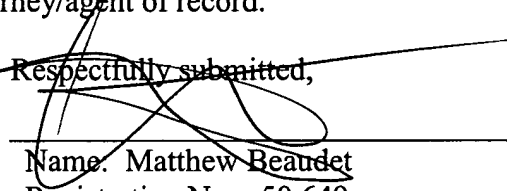
The Office Communication indicates that the specification fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1,821-1.825 because the sequences shown in Figure 6 are not accompanied by an appropriate sequence identifier. Applicants have amended the brief description of Figure 6 to include proper sequence identifiers for the sequences presented therein. Applicants are also providing herewith a substitute sequence listing. It has come to Applicants' attention that due to inadvertent error, the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 5, shown in Figure 6, was omitted from the original sequence listing. The sequence of SEQ ID NO: 5 has been added to the sequence listing. Applicants submit that this does not constitute new matter, and that the paper copy of the sequence listing is identical to the electronic copy, both of which are filed herewith.

Applicant submits that all claims are allowable as written and respectfully request early favorable action by the Examiner. If the Examiner believes that a telephone conversation with Applicant's attorney/agent would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is cordially invited to call the undersigned attorney/agent of record.

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